

CNUSD FACT SHEET

2012 Broad Award Finalist

The Broad Prize for Urban Education is the largest education prize in the country given to a single school district. The \$1 million Broad Prize given in the form of student scholarships, honors urban school districts that demonstrate the greatest overall performance and improvement in student achievement, while reducing achievement gaps among ethnic groups and between low- and non-low-income students.

Mr. Broad started The Broad Prize in order to nationally recognize the most improved large urban districts. It shines a spotlight on the hard work of everyone involved in delivering student gains and works to spread best practices from city to city so that other districts may learn from them.

RECOGNITION

California Distinguished School Awards:

- Franklin Elementary, Harada Elementary, Vicentia Elementary, and Wilson Elementary Schools, 2012
- Anthony Elementary, Barton Elementary, Chavez Elementary, Norco Elementary, and Washington Elementary Schools, 2010
- El Cerrito Middle School and Kennedy Middle College High School, 2009

Models of Excellence Award Winners:

- Vicentia Elementary School – Daily Block Schedule, 2012
- Norco Intermediate School – Success for High School, College and Careers, 2012
- Wilson Elementary School – Soaring Eagles Reading Program, 2011
- Corona High School – Tenth Grade Program: A Program of the CHS Guidance Department, 2011
- Roosevelt High School – Best Practices for High School EL Programs, 2011

Golden Bell Award: Norco High School – Student Assistance Program Community Connection

FFA National Chapter 3-Star Designation: The Norco High School FFA is one of two chapters in Southern California to be designated 3 Stars.

Department of the Air Force 2010-11 Distinguished JROTC Unit Award with Merit: Norco High Air Force Junior ROTC Unit CA-20067

Avery Dennison's Top 15 Schools in the Nation: Barton, Harada and Parks Elementary, and Raney Intermediate Schools receive \$10,000 each.

Education Trust-West Statewide Recognition



EXTERNAL FUNDING ACQUIRED

- Investing in Innovation \$5 million (i3) Grant Recipient
- Middle School Science \$2 million Grant Recipient
- New facilities/Measure U \$250 million, 2006



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STUDENT PERFORMANCE 2011

- Academic Performance Indicators (API) up 13 points to 815
- 87 percent of CNUSD 10th graders passed the English section of the **California High School Exit Exam** on their first attempt
- 89 percent of CNUSD 10th graders passed the Mathematics section of the **California High School Exit Exam** on their first attempt
- 47.4 percent of 12th grade students graduated with **UC/CSU required courses**
- SAT I average composite score: 1466 – up 31 points from 2010
- 1,503 **ELL** students reclassified to Fluent English Proficient
- 2,365 **Advanced Placement** test takers; 4,338 Advanced Placement tests taken
- 99.2 percent of AVID students completed **UC/CSU required courses**
- 93 percent of 7th grade students earned Proficient or Advanced on the California Writing Test

PROFILE

Size:	Ninth Largest in State/Largest in County
Number of Schools:	49
Number of Students:	53,407
Number of Employees:	4,509
Graduation Rate:	92 percent
Attendance Rate:	96 percent
Students Receiving Free/Reduced Meals:	43 percent
Languages Spoken:	55
2011-12 Budget:	\$364 million



STUDENT ETHNIC DIVERSITY

Hispanic	49 percent
Caucasian	31 percent
African American	6 percent
Asian	6 percent
Filipino	3 percent
Pacific Islander	0.5 percent
American Indian	0.5 percent
Multiple/No Response	4 percent

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